

# California Regional Water Quality Control Board

## Central Coast Region

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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING

Thursday and Friday, March 22-23, 2001

#### CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD MEETING

Locations: March 22 – Salinas City Council Chamber Rotunda, 200 Lincoln Ave., Salinas, CA

March 23 – Salinas Community Center, Santa Lucia Room, 940 N. Main St., Salinas, CA

(See Pages 9-10 for location maps)

[Staff will review and transmit all written material to the Board members received by March 14, 2001, 5:00 p.m. Written material submitted after that day will be placed into the official record (unless excluded by ruling of the Board Chair), but will not be sent to Board members before the Board meeting.]

The Regional Board members will participate in a tour of the Elkhorn Slough on Thursday, March 22, 2001 at 11:30 a.m. If you are interested in attending this tour, please contact the Elkhorn Slough Safari at (831) 633-9455 by Monday, March 19, 2001.

#### Thursday, March 22, 2001, 2:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Workshops and Status Reports

Location: Salinas City Council Chamber Rotunda, 200 Lincoln Ave., Salinas, CA (See Page 9 for map)

1. Roll Call [Carol Hewitt 805/549-3503].....Board Members Present
2. Introductions [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140] ..... Guests and Staff Present
3. Salinas River Watershed Management Action Plan Update [Alison Jones 805/542-4646] .....Status Report
4. Proposition 13 Funding Workshop [Alison Jones 805/542-4646] ..... Workshop
5. MTBE Workshop [Jay Cano 805/549-3699] ..... Workshop

Your comments on agenda items should be submitted according to the deadlines we send with draft agenda items to our interested parties lists. The Regional Board can then review your comments with our staff analysis and response. If you wish to be added to our list for a specific item, please contact the staff person listed with each item in this agenda notice.

**Cleanup Cases**

6. MTBE Sites [Jay Cano 805/549-3699].....Status Reports
- Los Osos Valley Garage/Bear Valley Chevron, Los Osos, San Luis Obispo County  
Shell Service Station, Morro Bay, San Luis Obispo County  
Chevron, Cambria, San Luis Obispo County  
Lake San Antonio, Monterey County  
Exxon, San Miguel Canyon, Monterey County  
Farms Service, Watsonville, Santa Cruz County  
Quik Stop Market, Soquel, Santa Cruz County  
Regionwide MTBE Site List

**Friday, February 2, 2001, 8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Regional Board Meeting**

<b>Location: Salinas Community Center, Santa Lucia Room, 940 N. Main Street, Salinas, CA</b> <b>Page 10 for map)</b>	<b>(See</b>
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7. Roll Call [Carol Hewitt 805/549-3503] ..... Board Members Present
8. Introductions [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140].....Guests and Staff Present
9. Approval of February 1-2, 2001 Meeting Minutes. .... Board Motion
10. Public Forum.....Board Direction  
(Any person may address the Board on any matter within its jurisdiction, which is not on the agenda. Please walk to the rostrum and after receiving recognition from the Chair, give your name and address, and your comments or questions. In order that all interested parties have an opportunity to speak, please be brief. The Chair generally limits the time allotted to each speaker to three minutes).

**Uncontested Items (\*)**

11. Uncontested Items Calendar ..... Board Motion  
(Agenda Item Nos.14, 15, 16 and 18 through 23 with a single asterisk (\*), are expected to be routine and noncontroversial. Recommended action on these items will be taken at the beginning of the meeting without discussion. If any Interested Party, Board Member, or the Executive Officer requests that an item be removed from the calendar, it will be taken up in order).

**Permits**

12. Highlands Inn Investors, Highlands Inn Wastewater Treatment Plant, Monterey County ..... Order No. 01-011  
(Reissue NPDES Permit No. CA0047872) [Tom Kukol 805/549-3689]
13. Highlands Sanitary Association, Monterey County ..... Order No. 01-012  
(Reissue NPDES Permit No. CA0049441) [Tom Kukol 805/549-3689]
- \*14. Pacific Mariculture, Santa Cruz County ..... Order No. 92-029

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*(Rescision of NPDES Permit No. CA0049441)* [Howard Kolb 805/549-3332]

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- \*15. Growers Ice Company, Monterey County..... Order No. 01-016  
*(Reissue NPDES Permit No. CA0008069)* [Martin Fletcher 805/549-3694]

**Enforcement**

- \*16. Santa Cruz Community Services District, Santa Cruz County..... Order No. 98-013  
*(Rescision of Cease and Desist Order)* [Howard Kolb 805/549-3332]
17. Enforcement Report [Brad Hagemann 805/549-3697] ..... Status Report

**Waste Discharge Requirements**

- \*18. Johnson Canyon Landfill, Monterey County ..... Order No. 01-020  
*(Reissuance of Waste Discharge Requirements)* [Frank DeMarco 805/542-4638]
- \*19. City of Atascadero Wastewater Treatment Facility, San Luis Obispo County ..... Order No. 01-014  
*(Reissuance of Waste Discharge Requirements)* [David Athey 805/542-4644]
- \*20. Atascadero State Hospital, San Luis Obispo County ..... Order No. 01-002  
*(Reissuance of Waste Discharge Requirements)* [David Athey 805/542-4644]
- \*21. Vandenberg Air Force Base, Santa Barbara County ..... Order No. 97-085  
*(Rescision of Waste Discharge Requirements)* [Michael Higgins 805/542-4649]
- \*22. Gilroy Foods Process Wastewater Facility, Santa Clara County..... Order No. 94-012  
*(Rescision of Waste Discharge Requirements)* [Kimberly Gonzales 805/549-3150]
- \*23. Windor's San Simeon Gravel, San Luis Obispo County ..... Order No. 85-120  
*(Rescision of Waste Discharge Requirements)* [Sorrel Marks 805/549-3695]

**Administrative Items**

24. Emergency, Abandoned, Recalcitrant Account Priority List for Fiscal Year 2001-2002 ..... Resolution No. 01-001  
*(Underground Storage Tank Cleanup Fund)* [Matt Keeling 805/549-3685]
25. Report by State Water Resources Control Board Liaison [John Brown 916/657-1627]..... Status Report
26. Reports by Regional Board Members ..... Status Report
27. Executive Officer's Report [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140] ..... Information/Discussion

**Watershed Branch Reports**

Regulation Summary for December 2000 and January 2001

Water Quality Certifications:

*(A chart is provided in the agenda listing the applications received, December 16, 2000 through February 9, 2001. A listing of pending applications for Water Quality Certifications pursuant to Section 401 of the Clean Water Act may be obtained by calling Corinne Huckaby 805-549-3504.)*

Status Reports (Informational Updates; NOTE: Board may give policy direction):

Morro Bay National Estuary Program Grant Submittal [Bill Hoffman 805/772-3834]

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General Waste Discharge Requirements in Los Osos [Sorrel Marks 805/549-3695]  
Los Osos Wastewater Project [Sorrel Marks 805/549-3695]

San Luis Obispo Creek Bacteria [Brad Hagemann 805/549-3697]  
City of San Juan Bautista [Matt Fabry 805/549-3458]  
Santa Cruz Biotechnology, Inc., Santa Cruz County [Howard Kolb 805/549-3332]  
Adventco Holding Corporation, Pasatiempo Investments, Pasatiempo II Investments, and  
Richard S. Gregersen, The Inn at Pasatiempo, Santa Cruz County [Howard Kolb 805/549-3332]

**Cleanup Branch Reports**

**Low Threat Discharges:**

Waiver of Waste Discharge Requirements for Degraded Soil Stockpiles, Unocal Corporation,  
Guadalupe Oil Field, San Luis Obispo County [Katie Anderson 805/549-3690]  
BP Oil Site No. 11224, 16995 Monterey Road, Morgan Hill, Santa Clara County  
[John Mijares 805/549-3696]  
Former Chevron Service Station; 4000 Portola Drive, Santa Cruz; Santa Cruz County  
[Bob Hurford (805) 542-4776]

**Corrective Action Plan Approvals:**

Mission Linen Supply, 121 East Gabilan St., Salinas, Monterey County [Wei Liu 805/542-4648]  
Pacific Union Apartments, Inc., 1018 Pacific Ave., Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz County  
[Bob Hurford 805/542-4776]  
Architectural Window Products Co., 132 Doyle St., Santa Cruz, Santa Cruz County  
[Bob Hurford 805/542-4776]  
Chemical Lime, Natividad Plant, 1171 Old Stage Road, Salinas, Monterey County  
[John Goni 805/542-4628]

**Status Reports (Informational Updates; NOTE: Board may give policy direction)**

Unocal Guadalupe Oil Field Cleanup, Santa Barbara County [Katie Anderson 805/549-3690]  
Unocal Avila Beach Cleanup [Diane Kukol 805/542-4637]  
Underground Tanks Summary Report dated February 15, 2001 [Jay Cano 805/549-3699]

**Regionwide Reports**

Regional Monitoring [Karen Worcester 805/549-3333]  
TMDL Update [Lisa McCann 805/549-3132]  
Article on Potentially Harmful Human Viruses in Coastal Waters [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140]  
State Board/Coastal Commission Joint Meeting [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140]

**Administrative Reports**

State Board Appointments [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140]  
Office Energy Conservation [Roger Briggs 805/549-3140]  
Personnel Hiring and Recruitment Report [Cyndee Jones 805/549-3372]  
Land Disposal Unit Restoration [Michael LeBrun 805/542-4645]  
Presentations and Training

**Closed Session**

Discussion of Cases in Litigation [Staff Counsel Jennifer Soloway] ..... Closed Session  
*(The Board will meet in closed session to discuss pending litigation in the cases of Ted J. Ferrari v. Regional Water Quality Control Board/Engel & Gray, Inc., Buena Vista Mines, Inc. v. Regional Water Quality Control Board; Regional Water Quality Control Board v. Unocal; South County Regional Waste Water Authority v. Regional Water Quality Control Board, and, the City of Morro Bay v. State Water Resources Control Board, et al., Robert van't Riet vs*

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*California Coastal Commission et al, as authorized by Government Code (GC) Section 11126[e][2][A]. The Board may discuss significant exposure to litigation as authorized by GC Section*

*11126[e][2][B]. The Board may also decide whether to initiate litigation as authorized by GC Section 11126[e][2][C].*

Discussion of Personnel ..... Closed Session  
*(The Board will meet in closed session to discuss personnel matters as authorized by Government Code Section 11126(a).)*

**Adjournment**

Adjournment to the regularly scheduled Board meeting on May 18 (possibly 17<sup>th</sup> also), 2001 in San Luis Obispo. A quorum of the Board may be attending the Water Quality Coordinating Committee meeting in Pasadena, April 20 and 21, 2001

### Regional Board Meeting Schedule 2001

Date	City	Address
February 1-2, 2001	San Luis Obispo	<u>2/1/01</u> - Morro Bay Veterans Hall, 209 Surf St., Morro Bay, CA 93442 (Workshop) <u>2/2/01</u> - Regional Board Conference Room, 81 Higuera St., Suite 200, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401-5411
March 22-23, 2001	Salinas	<u>3/22/01</u> - Salinas City Council Chamber Rotunda, 200 Lincoln Avenue, Salinas, CA 93901 (Workshop) <u>3/23/01</u> - Salinas Community Center, 940 N. Main St., Salinas, CA 93906
May 18, 2001	San Luis Obispo	Regional Board Conference Room 81 Higuera St., Suite 200, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401-5411
July 13, 2001	San Luis Obispo	Regional Board Conference Room 81 Higuera St., Suite 200, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401-5411
September 14, 2001	Salinas	Salinas City Council Chamber Rotunda 200 Lincoln Avenue, Salinas, CA 93901
October 26, 2001	San Luis Obispo	Regional Board Conference Room 81 Higuera St., Suite 200, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401-5411
December 7, 2001	San Luis Obispo	Regional Board Conference Room 81 Higuera St., Suite 200, San Luis Obispo, CA 93401-5411

**Note:** *Italics denote special meetings.*

#### LEAD STAFF PERSONS

Roger W. Briggs, <i>Executive Officer</i>	805-549-3140
Paul Jagger, <i>Assistant Executive Officer / Ombudsman</i>	805-549-3502
Tresa Guaspari, <i>Administrative Officer</i>	805-549-3505
Jennifer Soloway, <i>Staff Counsel</i>	916-657-0433
Brad Hagemann, <i>Supervising Water Resources Control Engineer</i>	805-549-3697

#### INVESTIGATION AND CLEANUP BRANCH

Jay Cano, <i>Above and Under Ground Tanks</i>	805-549-3699
Michael LeBrun, <i>Department of Defense Program and Special Projects</i>	805-542-4645
Harvey Packard, <i>Cost Recovery Program, Major Oil Field and Pipeline Cleanups</i>	805-542-4639

#### WATERSHED BRANCH

Chris Adair, <i>Northern Watershed Unit Supervisor</i>	805-549-3761
Gerhardt Hubner, <i>Southern Watershed Unit Supervisor</i>	805-549-4647
Eric Gobler, <i>Central Watershed Unit Supervisor</i>	805-549-3467

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**CENTRAL COAST REGIONAL BOARD MEMBERS**

<u>Board Member</u>	<u>Appointment Category</u>	<u>Term Expires</u>
Leslie S. Bowker <i>Co-Vice Chair -Los Osos</i>	County Government	09/30/2003
Bruce K. Daniels <i>Co-Vice Chair -Capitola</i>	Water Quality	09/18/2002
John Hayashi <i>Arroyo Grande</i>	Irrigated Agriculture	09/30/2003
Gary Shallcross <i>Chair - Monterey</i>	Recreation, Fish or Wildlife	09/18/2002
Jeffrey S. Young <i>Santa Barbara</i>	Municipal Government	09/30/2001
Vacant	Water Supply	09/30/2001
Vacant	Water Quality	09/30/2004
Vacant	Public	09/30/2004
Vacant	Industrial Water Use	09/30/2004

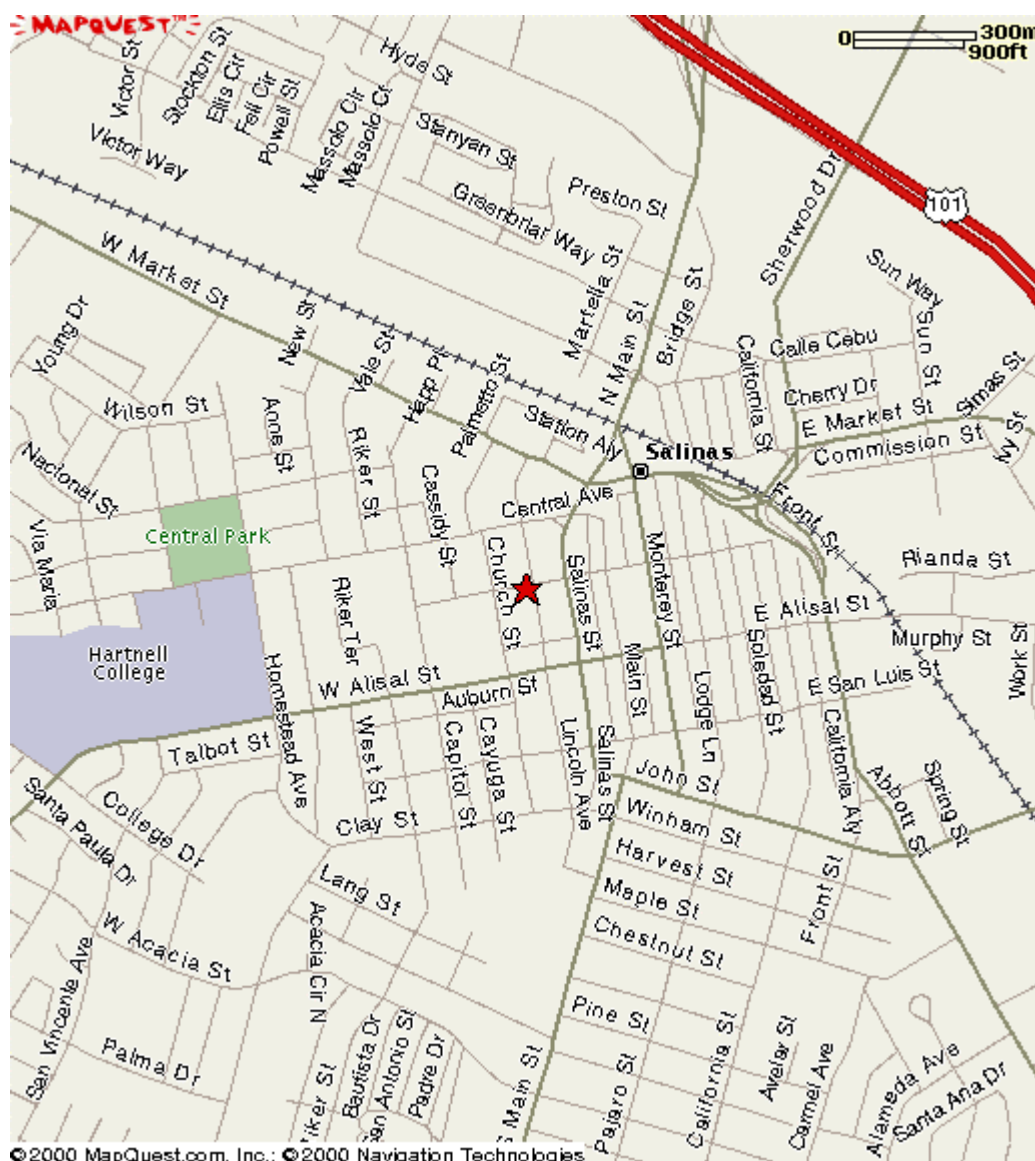
### **CONDUCT OF MEETING**

- A - The primary duty of the Regional Board is to protect the quality of waters within the Region for all beneficial uses. This duty is implemented by formulating and adopting water quality plans for specific ground or surface water basins and by prescribing and enforcing requirements on all domestic and industrial waste discharges. Specific responsibilities and procedures of the Regional Water Quality Control Boards and the State Water Resources Control Board are outlined in the Porter-Cologne Water Quality Act (Division 7), California Water Code.
- B - The purpose of the meeting is for the Board to obtain testimony and information from concerned and affected parties and make decisions after considering the recommendations made by the Executive Officer. The Board will vote only on matters listed on the agenda. The Board may give direction to the Executive Officer on any matter discussed during the meeting.
- C - Agenda items are numbered for identification purposes and will not necessarily be considered in the order listed.
- D - The Board and staff welcome information on pertinent problems, but comments at the meeting should be brief and directed to specifics of the case to enable the Board to take the appropriate action. Whenever possible, lengthy testimony should be presented to the Board in writing and only a summary of pertinent points presented verbally. In order to give everyone an opportunity to be heard, comments should have been previously submitted in writing and a time limit on presentations may be imposed on any agenda item. Speakers should plan to summarize key points within 3 minutes. We would appreciate staff being notified prior to meetings of presentations planned for longer than 3 minutes, for scheduling purposes.
- E - Material presented to the Board, as part of testimony (e.g., photographs, slides, charts, diagrams, etc.) that is to be made part of the record must be left with Assistant Executive Officer Paul Jagger. Photographs or slides of large exhibits are acceptable.
- F - All Board files, exhibits, and agenda material pertaining to items on this agenda are hereby part of the record.
- G - Any person affected adversely by a certain decision of the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, Central Coast Region (Regional Board), may petition the State Water Resources Control Board (State Board) according to Water Code section 13320 and Title 23 California Code of Regulation section 2050. The Petition should be addressed to Office of Chief Counsel and must be filed within 30 days of the EO's or the Board's action or failure to act. The State Board must receive the petition within 30 days of the Regional Board's meeting at which the action was taken. Copies of the law and regulations applicable to filing petitions will be provided upon request.
- H - A copy of the procedures governing Regional Water Quality Control Board meetings may be found at Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 647 et seq., and is available upon request. Hearings before the Regional Board are not conducted pursuant to Government Code Section 11500 et seq.
- I - The facility is accessible to people with disabilities. Individuals who require special accommodations are requested to contact Paul Jagger (805/549-3502); or Jay Cano (805/549-3599) at least five working days prior to the meeting. TTY users may contact the California Relay Service at 1-800-735-2929 or voice line at 1-800-735-2922.



- J - All persons who actively support or oppose the adoption of waste discharge requirements or an NPDES permit pending before the Regional Board must submit a statement to the Board disclosing any contributions of \$100 or more to be used in a federal, state, or local election, made by the action supporter or opponent, or his or her agent within the last 12 months to any Regional Board Member.
- K - All permit applicants or persons who actively support or oppose adoption of a set of waste discharge requirements or an NPDES permit pending before the Regional Board, are prohibited from making a contribution of \$100 (or more) to any Board Member for three months following a Regional Board decision on the permit application.

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**Salinas Community Center**  
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